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Applicant:

Masaya YAMANOUCHI et al. Conf.:

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For:

METHOD FOR EXAMINING HUMAN KIDNEY DISEASE BY DETECTING THE FATTY ACID

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| | Respectfully submitted, |
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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In response to the Office Action dated May 14, 2004, the due date for reply having been extended two (2) months to October 14, 2004 by petition herein, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.